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ARI ANNOUNCES OCTOBER UNITARY SHIPMENTS

ARLINGTON, VIRGINIA -- October U.S. shipments of unitary air-conditioners and heat pumps were 219,700. This was an increase of 74.8% over October, 1982. Year-to-date shipments were 2,278,848, up 44.0% as compared to January-October figures a year ago.

Included in the total figures were October shipments of heat pumps which were 63,409. This is an increase of 96.3% compared to shipments in October, 1982. The cumulative shipments for heat pumps for the first 10 months of 1983 were 516,937. This is an increase of 74.0% over the same period of 1982.

October factory stocks are up 30,000 units over September and are down about 14,500 compared to October, 1982.

October distributor shipments were up 48% over October a year ago. The year-to-date shipments are up 40%.

Distributor inventories are up 8,000 units compared to September and are up some 27,800 units over October, 1982.

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October U.S. dollar bookings of hermetic centrifugals were down 10%, thus making the year-to-date down 10% compared with 1982.

October U.S. dollar bookings of reciprocating liquid chillers were down 8% with a year-to-date loss of 1%.

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Unitary Heating and Cooling Section's Condensed Summary by Size of United States Manufacturers' Shipments Expanded to Industry

Date OCT., 1983

UNITED STATES

	SIZE BTUH (000)		NUMBER OF UNITS				
			CONDENSER-TYPE		U.S. TOTAL C	% CHGE FROM 1982	
			AIR OR EVAP. COOLED A	WATER COOLED B			
CONDENSED SUMMARY BY SIZE	Under 16.5		5381		5081	82.0+	
	16.5-21.9		30405		30405	93.1+	
	22-26.5		46301		46301	72.7+	
	27-32.9		37243		37243	97.1+	
	33-38.9		40258	28	40286	63.4+	
	39-43.9		16894	1-	16893	91.4+	
	44-53.9		16821		16821	78.8+	
	54-64.9		16161	103	16264	52.5+	
	65-96.9		3915	63	3998	26.8+	
	97-134.9		2356	95	2951	39.3+	
	135-184.9		1823	44	1867	68.2+	
	185-249.9		482	49	531	6.5-	
	250-319.9		294	34	328	8.3+	
	320-379.9		249	35	284	59.6+	
	380-539.9		169	7	176	9.3+	
	540-639.9		111	13	124	1.6+	
	640 and over		141	6	147	10.9-	
	TOTAL		219204	495	219700	74.8	

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JANUARY 20, 1984

ARI ANNOUNCES NOVEMBER UNITARY SHIPMENTS

ARLINGTON, VIRGINIA -- November U.S. shipments of unitary air-conditioners and heat pumps were 190,923. This was an increase of 57.0% over November, 1982. Year-to-date shipments were 2,469,771, up 45.0% as compared to January-November figures a year ago.

Included in the total figures were November shipments of heat pumps which were 54,645. This is an increase of 61.4% compared to shipments in November, 1982. The cumulative shipments for heat pumps for the first 11 months of 1983 were 571,582. This is an increase of 67.0% over the same period of 1982.

November factory stocks are up 6,500 units over October and are down about 16,000 units compared to November, 1982.

November distributor shipments were up 40% over November a year ago. The year-to-date shipments are up 40%.

Distributor inventories are up 14,900 units compared to October and are up some 46,800 units compared to November, 1982.

November U.S. dollar bookings of hermetic centrifugals were up 17%, thus making the year-to-date down 7% compared with 1982.

November U.S. dollar bookings of reciprocating liquid chillers were up 8% with virtually no change in the year-to-date compared to 1982.

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UNITED STATES

	SIZE BTUH (000)		NUMBER OF UNITS: CONDENSER-TYPE AIR OR EVAP. COOLED A	NUMBER OF UNITS: CONDENSER-TYPE WATER COOLED B	U.S. TOTAL C	% CHG. FROM 1982
CONDENSED SUMMARY BY SIZE	Under 16.5		2993		2993	3.0-
	16.5-21.9		23284		23284	29.2+
	22-26.9		44032		44032	67.8+
	27-32.9		34060		34060	76.1+
	33-38.9		36891	46	36937	66.6+
	39-43.9		12654	1	12655	56.9+
	44-53.9		15302		15302	78.4+
	54-64.9		13833	42	13875	43.6+
	65-96.9		3249	53	3302	38.6+
	97-134.9		1903	40	1943	6.3+
	135-184.9		1389	40	1429	23.6+
	185-249.9		415	33	448	13.4+
	250-319.9		206	14	220	.5+
	320-379.9		138	7	145	1.4-
	380-539.9		112	6	118	.9+
	540-639.9		59	8	67	19.6+
	640 and over		102	11	113	7.6+
	TOTAL		190o22	301	190923	57.0